

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : PERINI
Serial No. : 10/630,962
Confirm. No. : 1772
Filed : July 30, 2003
For : PULPER DEVICE FOR...
Art Unit : 1731
Examiner : Anna Kinney
Dated : December 12, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136 (a)

Sir:

The Office Action dated July 14, 2006 provided for a shortened statutory period for response of three months.

The shortened statutory period expired October 14, 2006.

Since the attached response is being filed within the two months pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) Applicant attaches a Credit Card Payment Form and respectfully requests the Examiner to charge the appropriate petition fee of \$450.00 (fee code 1252).

Respectfully submitted
for Applicant,



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SHOULD ANY OTHER FEE BE REQUIRED, THE PATENT AND
TRADEMARK OFFICE IS HEREBY REQUESTED TO CHARGE SUCH FEE
TO OUR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 13-0410.